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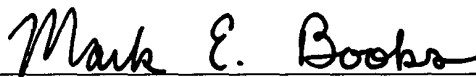
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Indep. Claims	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$42.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	0			\$280.00	\$140.00 =	\$0.00

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